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SUBJECT:CSCE IMPLEMENTATION: CONSULTATIONS WITH MALTESE

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1. BEGIN NOFORN FYI: STATE 239977 WAS NOT ADDRESSED TO VALLETTA FOR ACTION BECAUSE WE ARE NOT REPEAT NOT ANXIOUS TO STIMULATE INTEREST OF GOVERNMENT OF MALTA IN CSCE IMPLEMENTATION. GIVEN IDIOSYNCRATIC ROLE OF MALTA IN CSCE NEGOTIATIONS THEMSELVES, WE SEE LITTLE TO BE GAINED, AND MANY POSSIBLE DIFFICULTIES, IN INVOLVING OURSELVES WITH MALTESE ON THIS SUBJECT. THUS, WHILE WE WISH TO APPEAR FRIENDLY AND COOPERATIVE TO MALTESE WE DO NOT REPEAT NOT WISH TO ENTER REGULAR CONSULTATIONS WITH THEM ON CSCE IMPLEMENTATION, AND DO NOT REPEAT NOT WISH TO ENCOURAGE THEM TO TAKE AN INTEREST IN THIS SUBJECT. END NOFORN FYI

2. NEVERTHELESS, WE HAVE NO OBJECTION TO YOU DRAWING ON PARAS 3-5 REPEAT 3-5 OF STATE 239977 IN A LOW-KEY RESPONSE TO ABELA'S REQUEST, PROVIDED YOU BEAR COMMENT OF PARA 1 ABOVE IN MIND, AND PROVIDED YOUR PRESENTATION IS PHRASED IN SUCH A WAY AS TO MAKE CLEAR THAT IT IS IN RESPONSE TO ABELA'S EXPRESSION OF INTEREST.

3. SHOULD ABELA ASK SPECIFICALLY ABOUT "IMPLEMENTATION" OF CSCE MEDITERRANEAN PAPER, YOU MAY CITE US ROLE IN SEEKING MID-EAST AGREEMENT AS INDICATION OF OUR EFFORTS IN PURSUIT OF OBJECTIVES OF CSCE MEDITERRANEAN DOCUMENT. KISSINGER

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